

Step 2: Select seminar date.

The seminar meets on Saturday from 9:00am to 1:00pm. See insert for dates and locations.

Date of Seminar You'd like to Attend

Step 3: Enclose payment.

Seminar fee \$40.00. No cash please. Make check or money order payable to FCCS.

Step 4: Mail or bring completed registration form and payment to FCCS.

**Family Court Counseling Services
Waukesha County Courthouse
515 W. Moreland Blvd., Room C-345
Waukesha, WI 53188**

Step 5: Plan to attend the seminar for which you have registered. No confirmation of enrollment will be sent.

A Child's Bill of Rights in a Divorce

1. To be told that my mother and father still love me and will never divorce me.
2. To be told that the divorce is not my fault and not be told about the adult problems that caused it.
3. To be considered as a human being and not considered as another piece of property to be fought for, bargained over, or threatened.
4. To have decisions about me based on what is in my best interests not on past wrongs, hurt feelings, or my parent's needs.
5. To be allowed to love both my father and my mother without being forced to choose or feel guilty.
6. To know both my father and mother through regular and frequent involvement in my life.
7. To have the financial support of both my father and my mother.
8. To be spared hearing bad, hurtful comments about either of my parents which have no useful purpose.
9. To be a child and not to be asked to tell a lie or act as a spy or messenger.
10. To be allowed to have affection for the people who may come into my life without being forced to choose or feel guilty.

A Seminar for Divorcing Parents

Children Cope With Divorce



A licensed program provided by:
Family Service of Waukesha

Co-sponsored by:
Waukesha County Family Court
Counseling Services and
Waukesha County Technical College

Marriages may end, families don't. . .

Children Cope with Divorce is a 4-hour seminar about the needs of children during and after the separation or divorce of their parents.

The seminar is held at Waukesha County Technical College-Pewaukee Campus, and is conducted by licensed professionals with expertise in the areas of divorce and co-parenting.

The effects of divorce on children can be negative and potentially long term. Children must master an additional set of tasks, as well as those posed by normal childhood development. This seminar educates parents as to ways they can help their children adjust and handle these additional tasks.

Topics addressed during the seminar include: typical reactions of children, childhood developmental needs, skills that will help children cope, co-parenting issues, and pitfalls to avoid.

Children Cope with Divorce benefits families by:

Decreasing future litigation, court costs and time.

Reducing the risk of adolescent drug and alcohol abuse, teen pregnancy, school dropout, and other adjustment problems.

Increasing the likelihood of positive future relationships for parents and children.

Register early. Enrollment is limited.

To ensure placement in the seminar of your choice, registration must be completed 3 weeks prior to the seminar of your choice. If the seminar you have chosen is filled, you will be notified by mail and placed in the next seminar.

To register, completely fill out the registration form and bring it, or mail it, along with your \$40.00 check or money order (made payable to FCCS) to:

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If you do not attend as scheduled, you will have to re-register for the next available class. An additional fee may apply.

You will receive a certificate upon successful completion of the seminar. If you have been referred by the Court, a copy of that certificate will automatically be sent to the Court.

Child care is not provided. Please do not bring children to the seminar.

Please bring pen and/or pencil.

If you have any questions, please call Family Court Counseling Services at 262-548-7900.

Registration Form

Step 1: Complete the following. Please print.

Name as it appears on petition

Date of Birth

Address

Address (line 2)

City/State/Zip

Home Phone

Cell or Work Phone

Social Security Number

Case Number

Next Court Date

Check here if a restraining order is in place.

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